

Indiana Disproportionality Committee

March 8, 2007 for February 14, 2007 (Rescheduled due to inclement weather)

IFCCA

509 E National Ave Ste A, 46227

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Agenda

Welcome and call to order

Persons in attendance: Monique Busch (IARCCA), Russ Skiba (IU CEEP), Clara Anderson (CBI), Chris Morrison (IFCAA), Gabrielle Campo(IYI), Beth Mickelson (CBI), Delores Kennedy-Williams(White's Residential), Lisa McGuire(IU SWK), CL Day (NOAH), Greg Ellis (Child Advocates), DaMica O'Bryant (ICRC), Mark Bryson (MCCOY), Bud Ross (IJJTF), Andrea Houston for Pat Howes(IU SWK), Gretchen Gentry (DCS), Shirlean Seawood (NOAH) and Devina Jani (ICJI).

Persons on phone: Barbara Murphy and Arnold (Memorial South Bend)

Review of December 13, 2006 Minutes

Approved

Progress on Annual Report

Approved – Update Map with representation

Awaiting quotes from PEN

Annual Report needs to be uploaded to website – deadline Tues. March 13, 2007.

Marketing of Annual Report

- Business Cards with weblink
- Add it to Brochure (excerpt)
- Add it to Powerpoint (excerpt)

Disseminating of Annual Report

- Possible new partners
- Grant Applications
- Executives of all Partnering Agencies
- Email to recruited and active members
- IARCCA Monday Morning Newsletter
- IYI Distribution

Restructuring for future (copy of organizational design)

General description of functions

Nominations for Advisory Committee

Advisory Group – Leaders of the Community

Possibilities: Deans, IU Center for Urban Policy, Youth, DCS, DOC, DOE, Legislators, Judicial, Law Enforcement, Juvenile Detention Center, Private Philanthropic Entities and Faith-Based etc.

- *Representatives Porter, Crawford, Breaux *Willis Bright - Lilly
- *Bob Marra – DOE * Angelic Walker – Faith Based
- *Rick Snyder – Law Enforcement *Khala Maturda – IU Sch Edu
- *Julie Von Arx or Kevin Moore – DOC * Bill S. – IYI
- *Larry Smith – Center of Philanthropy *Lynn Smith – Dept. Mental Health
- *Youth Member – Source: United Way Project – High School students are represented on Board.

Initial Meeting:

Identify roles, expectations, contributions; explain who IDC is, accessibility, funding and have a meaningful task for Advisory Committee to work towards.

Sub-Committee Reports

Resource Development Sub-committee - DaMica O'Bryant

Inform of any grant opportunities

Calvin of IMHC submitted a grant application to ICJI on behalf of IDC
DaMica will provide a list of future funding possibilities at the next large IDC meeting

Budget survey

Still have not received budget survey from all members. This is critical in regards to creating budget for grant opportunities. Send to Devina **IMMEDIATELY.**

Training Sub-committee – Calvin Roberson (Absent) Update provided by Lisa McGuire

CL Day's Resignation

Will not be Co-Chair of Training Committee but will still remain active on large IDC and will continue to send representation to sub-committees

Grant proposal update

Awaiting response from ICJI

Survey Follow-Up

IRB approved

Dissemination of Survey: Agencies/Organizations that serve youth – Send any pertinent lists or ideas for dissemination to Devina.

Current lists obtained: Mental Health, Sheriff, Dept. of Edu., Indiana Juvenile Detention Association, and Indiana Probation Depts.

- IARCCA Monday Morning Newsletter – Clara will need to seek approval from Cathy Graham (IARCCA Executive Director)

IU School of Social Work Commitment

Will and are currently making strides to re-establish cultural competency curriculum

Community Awareness Sub-committee - Tawanna Clarke, Chair
Logo Approved



Letterhead

Option C Voted

Add following entities to bottom: and Family Services (to White's Residential), Indiana Foster Care and Adoption Association, Inc., Child Advocates, Inc.

Request for Presenters

- Beth Mickelson
- Monique Busch
- Delores Kennedy-Williams
- Lisa McGuire
- Bud Ross - wrote: "Will help but is not a real presenter"
- Devina Jani

Presenters please send a copy of your bio to Devina so she may have it on file. Bios are often needed for presentation purposes.

Possible Presentation Sites: Marion County Juvenile Detention Center, JDAI, Judicial Center (Bob Champion), and **Robert Curry (?)**

Brochure

Recommended to spell out Indiana vs IN

Positive feedback about Brochure and dual purposes.

Public Policy Sub-committee- Tammy Robinson, Chair (Absent) Update
provided by Clara Anderson

Update on HB 1194: Commission on Disproportionality

Has not been heard in the Commission it was assigned

Passed in budget on House side, currently on Senate side (Language is still there)

ICJI E.D. to set up appointment with Senator Meeks

Note: "It's STILL alive !!!"

Research Sub-committee- Monique Busch, Chair

Working on Updates

Annotated Bibliography

Clara and Monique submitted abstract about IDC to CWLA – aspirations that it will be accepted and published in Summer

Report from recent events

Minority Health Coalition – Health – National model

Identifying minority issues: Feb. 1st and 2nd at Anthem: Widely recognized – IMHC at forefront of this effort

Indiana Civil Right Commission - Education

Looks at data provided by Russ

Working on the culturally responsive PBIS blueprint – submitted grant to implement pilot project

Goal: Decrease DMC – expulsions, suspensions, and office referrals

Other

Add Cultural Responsive PBIS to “Other Initiatives”

2007 Meeting Schedule

Full Committee = April 11, 2007

(2nd Wednesday of even numbered months)

Sub-committees

Community Awareness: March 27th at ICJI at 10am

Research: April 26, 2007 at CBI at 130pm

Training: March 16th at NOAH at 10am

Public Policy: March 27th at ICJI at 1130 am

Resource Development: TBD